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METHOD FOR ZYMOTIC PRODUCTION Examiner: Meah, M. Y.

For: OF FINE CHEMICALS CONTAINING SULPHUR (META)

SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT AFTER NON-FINAL REJECTION

MS Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Applicants thank the Examiner for the telephone call of January 30, 2007. As requested, the present amendment previously faxed on January 4, 2007 is also being electronically filed.

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

Applicants thank the Examiner for the telephone call of January 3, 2007 and submit the following amendments as discussed:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.